MEMORANDUM FOR:

Director of Central Intelligence

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM

: Henry S. Rowen

Chairman, National Intelligence Council

SUBJECT

: My JEC Testimony

- 1. Regarding my JEC Testimony, Proxmire's staff director apologizes for the press release which has already been distributed, says that the lead is intended to be Proxmire's statement not a quote from mine, and that they will make this clear.
- 2. I told him that the impression created by the press release was very misleading and that this was bad business especially right after Rep. Reuss' distorted statement on the earlier CIA publication on the Soviet economy. He said that they would encourage the press to read my testimony which was short and readable.
- 3. I didn't say that we might put out a statement of our own depending on the press treatment of my testimony. If we decide to, a copy of what Public Affairs might say is attached.

Henry S. Rowen

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